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Parents of abandoned baby still unknown; foster family stays on adoption 'fast track'

'BABY SHAWN'

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

With his parents never located, a baby abandoned in West Sacramento last December is now on the fast-track to adoption with the foster family that has given him a home for the past few months.

"Baby Shawn" was found by a local high school student living on Garnet St., in the Meadowdale subdivision near I-80.

Desiree Hoy heard "baby kitten noises coming through the vent of our wall air conditioner," and went outside to find what looked like "a bundle of rags that was moving around." The "bundle of rags" turned out to be a newborn infant. She contacted a neighbor, who picked the boy up and called 9-1-1.

Police investigated, trying to locate the newborn's parents, but to no avail. The baby was soon placed with a foster family hoping to adopt him. With no sign of either parent – and little indication whether they are residents of West Sacramento or some other area – that adoption looks like it can now go through.

Judith Gilchrist, deputy director of child welfare services for Yolo County, explained.

"This baby is on the fast track for a permanent home," Gilchrist said. "The social worker tells me he's in a wonderful home. Once parental rights are terminated (for the absent mom and dad), the plan is for him to be adopted there."

The two-parent family lives outside the West Sacramento area, she reported, but declined to provide other specifics in order to protect the family's privacy.

Home construction in earnest

■ Three hundred new homes projected for this year, with plans to build at three different West Sacramento subdivisions

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

These models under construction by builder Forecast Homes at the Bridgeway Island subdivision will be available for prospective buyers' perusal this spring

Following fits and starts over the past decade, graded home sites are now springing up almost like wildflowers in West Sacramento's southern half.

The "Southport" area – the city's 7,000-acre southern portion – could be host to about 300 new homes by the time construction season draws to a close in late 2000. City planning director Stephen Patek listed some of the building activity now underway by different builders at local subdivisions.

"We have models planned for Forecast Homes, Kaufman & Broad, and JTS in Bridgeway Island," said Stephen Patek, the city's community development director. "We have models in for permits at Beazer in Gateway, and also about 36 production homes there."

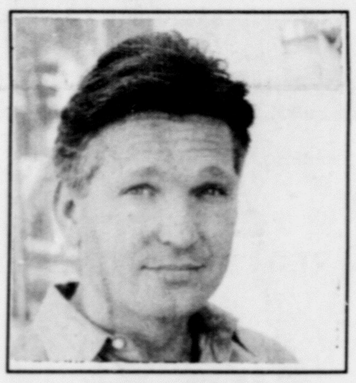
Patek was referring to various builders' sites at Bridgeway Island (north of Marshall Rd. and west of Jefferson) and at Gateway (near Devon Rd. and east of Jefferson). He also said that developer Seecon was in the master planning process for its Newport Estates project, north of Linden Rd. and east of Jefferson.

The Gateway and Newport Estates developments would make up two different parts of one planned "village" in the now largely-rural region. The Bridgeway Island project (formerly Bayside) would be part of another. A total of five villages are planned for the area, boosting Southport's population from its current level of around 6,000 to an eventual head count of 45,000.

The city's total current population, for comparison, is about 30,000.

Developer David Stroud, one of the principals of the Bridgeway Island ownership, believes that Patek's estimate of 300 new homes in the area this year is reasonable. About 200 hundred of those homes will be in Bridgeway Island, he said.

"The project has a total of over 1,600 lots, which will take several years to build out," said Stroud. We have about 900-1,000 lots under construction, which will take several years. Most of these builders will vary their housing prices depending on lot size. There will be 'starter' homes on the smaller lots, up to over-$200,000 homes on the larger lots."



DAVID STROUD
of Bridgeway Island

Stroud added that marketing for the new houses at Bridgeway Island will gear up around late May to June – allowing time "to give the builders time to polish the windows and plant the flowers" at the new home models.

One of the challenges faced by Southport home marketers, he added, is telling the people from the Sacramento region where Southport is.

"The difficulty is you can't see it from the freeway," said Stroud. "If you're not a native of the West Sacramento, you probably don't know where Southport is. There's a very well-planned new community here. We're going to be doing a lot of marketing for it."

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Southport-area developer

Needed for the new residents will be new schools. At least one new elementary school is now being discussed by the local school board – possibly for a Bridgeway Island site. Other developments have school locations set aside as well.

A long-awaited expansion of Jefferson Blvd. is planned to help serve the growing area's traffic needs.

Planner Steve Patek reports that CalTrans and the city are laying the groundwork for that expansion, which will eventually make Jefferson Blvd. a two-lane road all the way from U.S. 50 to Linden Rd. Included in that expansion will be a new two-lane bridge, augmenting the existing two-lane span at Stone Lock.

"Next year will be the first city construction," he added, explaining that West Sacramento will be handling the expansion from the bridge southward. "CalTrans is in its final design work, and will shortly be doing the right-of-way acquisition (for its part of the project)."

Don't forget to take off the lens cap:

City photo contest returns for ten days in month of May

A city-wide photo contest will return for its second year as "Ten Days in May," reports Art Schroeder of the West Sacramento City Manager's office.

The photo contest will run from Friday, May 5, to Monday, May 15, and is open to residents and nonresidents, amateurs and professionals. The West Sacramento Press, Carwen Printers and the News-Ledger are assisting in sponsorship of the event. Prizes go up to $500 per category, and there's no cost to enter.

Categories include amateur West Sacramento residents (with separate divisions for "under 18"; "18-55," and "over 55"); amateur non-residents of West Sacramento; city employees and their family members; and professionals. The subject matter includes anything in West Sacramento during the 10-day time period. Photos may be color or black-and-white. Only one entry per contestant, and contestants must obtain consent from those whose picture or private property is the photo subject.

Entry forms are available at city offices or at the city web site, www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us. The photo must be submitted with an entry form and are due by May 15 at city hall, 1350 Halyard Dr.

On Saturday, May 6, "Family Photo Fun Day will be held from noon to 4 p.m. at the Grand Staircase of River Walk Park. There will be a barbecue, kids' activities, a photo clinic, entry forms and prize giveaways. For more information on the contest, call 373-5800, visit city offices, or check out the listed web site.

City may scrap 'design/build' process

Loss of city hall site and disputed bids lead to change in procedure

West Sacramento officials will consider abandoning the "design/build" process they used to start plans for the civic center at Merkley and West Capitol Avenues, at the same time they check out new sites for the project. Special legislation allowed the city to use the "design/build" process, in which they solicited proposals from teams including both an architect and a builder on how to develop the project.

Negotiations for the site fell through this year, and one failed bidder in the previous "design/build" competition has threatened to sue the city over the process, city staff reports.

Staff will tonight ask the city council to reject all the bids involved with the failed project site, and return to a more tried-and-true approach of "traditional design, lowest responsible bidder, build." This process separates out the design from the construction of the project.

The "design/build" approach allowed different concepts for the civic center from different bidders, and was meant to improve cost efficiencies by pairing the builder with the architect early in the process. City officials stated that they believed they would likely prevail if sued by the unhappy bidder, but believed that using the traditional process would avoid further delays in the project's completion.

A West Capitol Ave. site is now being analyzed as the new chosen location for the civic center project.

Recalling a few favorite quotes, poems & sayings

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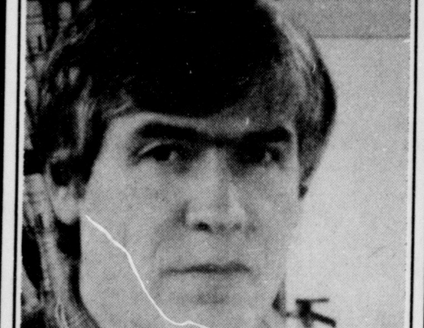

By Daryl Fisher

People I meet and spend time talking with, or people I just meet in passing, often remind me of old quotes, poems, or sayings I've heard or read over the years. Although I'm afraid I can't remember all the authors, here are a few examples:

I had a lengthy discussion with a local politician the other day and was reminded that, "There is a constant increase, a stupendously rapid increase, in the number of obedient, docile men."

A friend of a friend described in some detail her latest fight with her husband and I was reminded that for some people, "It remains to choose the most aesthetic suicide: marriage and the forty-hour week, or a revolver."

Someone I recently got stuck sitting next to at a dinner gathering harangued me for over fifteen minutes about how my generation had no respect for freedom and democracy because of all the anti-war demonstrations that occurred during the 1960s, which reminded me of the old Frederick Douglas quote that reads "Those who profess to freedom, yet deprecate agitation, are men who want crops without plowing, rain without thunder and lightning, and the ocean without the awful roar of its many waters."

My youngest son is always reminding me that "From a child you can learn: always to be happy; never to sit idle; and to cry for everything you want."

A very nice, bright graduate of my daughter's high school, who wasn't very interested in academics and received poor grades while he was there, is quite successful now and always reminding me that all too often during our school years, "The hours that mattered most, in terms of passion, high stakes, daydreams and ideas of justice; all those hours were times sneaked in, unlicensed, and unpermitted."

While trying to have a rational conversation a few days ago with an employee of the California State Department of Motor Vehicles, it suddenly dawned on me that "We grossly misjudge the distance between the cushioned seat and the padded cell."

I talked to a local political activist awhile back and was reminded that "The people who think they know it all can really annoy those of us who do."

After swapping war stories with a remarkably humble and much decorated veteran of the Vietnam War, I was reminded that "Heroes are not made in heaven; they are simply cornered somewhere on earth."

Speaking of courage, a very brave lady who just lost her husband continues to make me think of something Aeschylus once wrote: "Even in our sleep, pain that cannot forget, falls drop by drop upon the heart, and in our own despair, against our will, comes wisdom through the awful Grace of God."

An unhappy elderly businessman I recently met, who has apparently worked very long and very hard to become very successful, sadly explained to me in so many words that "Everything he once wanted, was everything he once had."

While watching a local school board meeting on cable television I was reminded of Paulo Freire's quote that "There is this strange expectation in American society that once a problem is defined, no matter how poorly, and understood by a small number of people who have some relation to the problem, then there is no longer a problem."

When asked whom I thought was more honest and had the most integrity, Al Gore or George W. Bush, I was reminded of what Albert Camus said about politicians; "Politics and the fate of countries are shaped by men without ideals or nobility. Those who possess nobility are not in politics."

I was talking to a teacher the other day who doesn't really much like kids or their opinions and I was reminded of James Baldwin's quote that "We do not truly trust educated people and rarely, alas, produce them, for we do not really trust the independence of mind which alone makes a genuine education possible."

A friend of my son's was explaining to him his me-first personal philosophy for getting ahead in today's very competitive world and this old Rodney Dangerfield quote suddenly came to mind: "Those who are always looking out for #1 usually end up stepping in #2."

And finally, after going for my last physical checkup and discovering that a manual (or is it called digital?) search for the beginnings of prostate cancer is now standard operating procedure for all doctors examining a man my age, I was reminded of a quote Bette Davis had embroidered on one of her couch pillows; "Gettin' Old Ain't For Sissies!"

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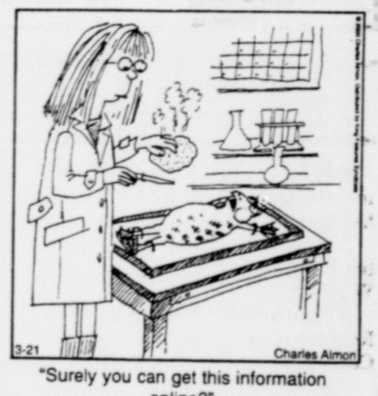

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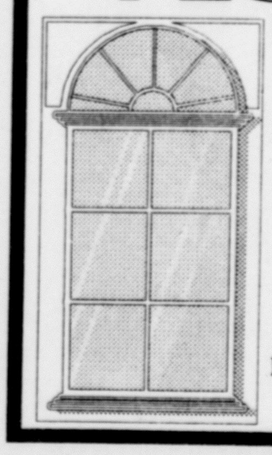

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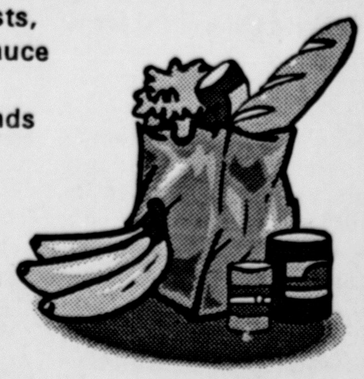

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SPORTS

Sports Insider

By Richard Novoa

The Michigan State Spartans (32-7) survived an injury scare to their All-American Mateen Cleaves, to beat Florida (29-8) and win the National Title. It's been 21 years since Michigan State won the National Championship. In 1979 Magic Johnson led them to victory over Larry Bird and Indiana State.

The Sacramento Kings (42-30) have qualified for the NBA playoffs and will finish the season above .500 in an 82-game season for the first time since the 1983 Kansas City Kings went 45-37. The Kings gained revenge last Sunday against the 76ers for an earlier loss this season. The Kings put on a show that featured 15 lead changes and nine ties in the first half to blowout the 76ers 117-95 on NBC-TV.

The Kings are currently in the 7th spot in the playoff picture and if the season ended today they would face the Midwest Division leading Utah Jazz!

Bring on Malone and Stockton for the rematch in the friendly confines of the Arco Arena. The Kings are on the road to Texas with a Tuesday night game in Dallas and a Wednesday game (5:30 p.m. - ch.31) against San Antonio. The Kings will return home on Friday night for the first of two huge division games. The Kings will tangle with the Minnesota Timberwolves on Friday and the Phoenix Suns on a Sunday afternoon game on NBC-TV (2:30 p.m. - ch. 3).

Major League baseball opened on Monday night for the two Bay Area teams but sloppy defense by the A's and Giants put them in the losing column to start the 2000 season. The A's lost 7-4 but were winners in attendance as a record -reaking crowd of 53,498 watched the A's and Tigers battle in the season opener at Network Associates Coliseum in Oakland. Looks like the A's are going to reap the rewards of the Giants ticket fiasco. If you can't get Giants tickets go across the Bay a watch American League baseball.

The Atlanta Braves, who always seem to end up in the World Series, couldn't even sell out their home opener on Monday!

The Giants, who Tuesday against the Dodgers. Tickets are being scalped between $200-$500 by Bay Area ticket brokers. The brokers didn't have any problem buying tickets through the Internet! The Sacramento River Cats roster is set for their season opener in Fresno on April 6th in Fresno. The Cats will be facing Giants pitcher, Shawn Estes, who on a rehabilitation assignment in Fresno on Friday night. The A's sent pitcher Mark Mulder to Sacramento to join the River Cats starting rotation of Ariel Prieto, Barry Zito, and John Ratliff. The River Cats lost pitcher Luis Vizacino, was called up to fill in for the injured A's pitcher Doug Jones. Tickets for the River Cats games in Oakland on April 18-20th can be purchased by calling 447-HITS or stop by their office in Old Sac. Single game tickets will go on sale on April 29th and can be purchased at BASS or on the Internet.

The San Jose Earthquakes will have their home opener on Saturday, April 8th at Spartan Stadium in San Jose. The Quakes will host the New York/New Jersey MetroStars at 7:00 p.m. Tickets for the Earthquakes home games are price between $10 and $25 and can be ordered by phone at (408) 985-GOAL. The Earthquakes changed their name from the Clash, back to the original name, for the 2000 Major League Soccer season. What the heck was a Clash!

West Sacramento's undefeated super bantamweight, Willie Jorrin (25-0, 12 KO's), is expected to sign a contract to fight the WBC's No. 1 contender, Michael Brodie (26-0, 17 KO's). The current champ Erik Morale, who is moving up in weight, is expected to vacate the title. Jorrin, who hasn't fought since October, is rated No. 2 in the WBC. Willie will have a tune-up fight in May for his title shot in late summer that will probably in Las Vegas.

Rumor has it Jorrin wants his tune-up fight in his hometown of West Sacramento.

See ya next week!!

RC tennis team falls at Escalon

From River City High School

The River City High School tennis team suffered its first defeat of the season last week in a tough 4-3 loss at Escalon. The setback brought several long winning streaks to an end. R.C. hadn't lost to a non-league opponent on the road in five years, a run of 27 straight wins. The team had won 47 consecutive away matches overall (league and non-league combined), a string that dated back to March of 1966. The Raiders are now 10-1 this year. The loss didn't affect R.C.'s goal of a fifth straight Golden Empire League championship however, as the host Cougars are members of the Trans Valley League.

River City entered the Escalon match minus two of its top five players on the boys side of the team, but Raider Coach Dave Brooks offered no excuses. "We didn't play well enough to beat a team as solid as Escalon. We lost the four matches by a total of just eleven games and all we had to do was play up to our normal level in any of those four. But we just couldn't seem to get it done."

With #1 boys singles player Prak Pich gone, Sisavat Phouanglasy stepped up a spot and played one of his best matches of the season for a 10-1 win. Sophomore Sokhear Touch moved into Phouanglasy's usual #2 singles spot for the first time all year but fell 6-10. The girls singles matches were also split between the Raiders and the Cougars as R.C.'s #1 Khonesavanh Lattasima fought her way back from a 4-7 deficit to win an 11-9 thriller while teammate Sokpin Phoung couldn't hold on to a 5-1 lead and dropped her #2 match 8-10. It was Phoung's first loss in 2000.

The overall match would come down to the three doubles contests. The Raiders boys doubles team of Huy Truong and Andy Amphonephong ran away to a 7-0 lead and won handily 10-4. The visitors would not be so in

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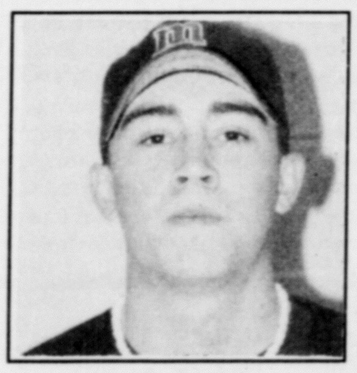
Sports Quiz
by Chris Richcreek

1. Entering this season, which major-league team was the last to have a no-hitter tossed against it?
2. Which team prior to Atlanta was the last to lose two consecutive World Series?
3. True or False: College football's Rose Bowl has always been played in California?
4. Who had more NBA career points — Larry Bird or John Havlicek?
5. Which team won eight of the 14 Major Soccer League championships?
6. How many times has Cale Yarborough won the Daytona 500?
7. Who is the famous golfer known for inventing the sand wedge?

RC grad plays for college



BRADY TACDOL

West Sacramento's Brady Tacdol is a playing college baseball this year for the MacMurray College Highlanders in Jacksonville, Ill. He is a 5'9", 155 pound freshman shortstop and a 1999 graduate of River City High School.

MacMurray College is an NCAA Division III school that competes in the St. Louis Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

Tacdol is majoring in computer science at MacMurray, which is a private, career-directed liberal arts college. He is the son of Stacey Del Nero of West Sacramento.

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(Note: Below is the latest in a series of *News-Ledger* profiles of the newspaper's advertisers. Enjoy!)

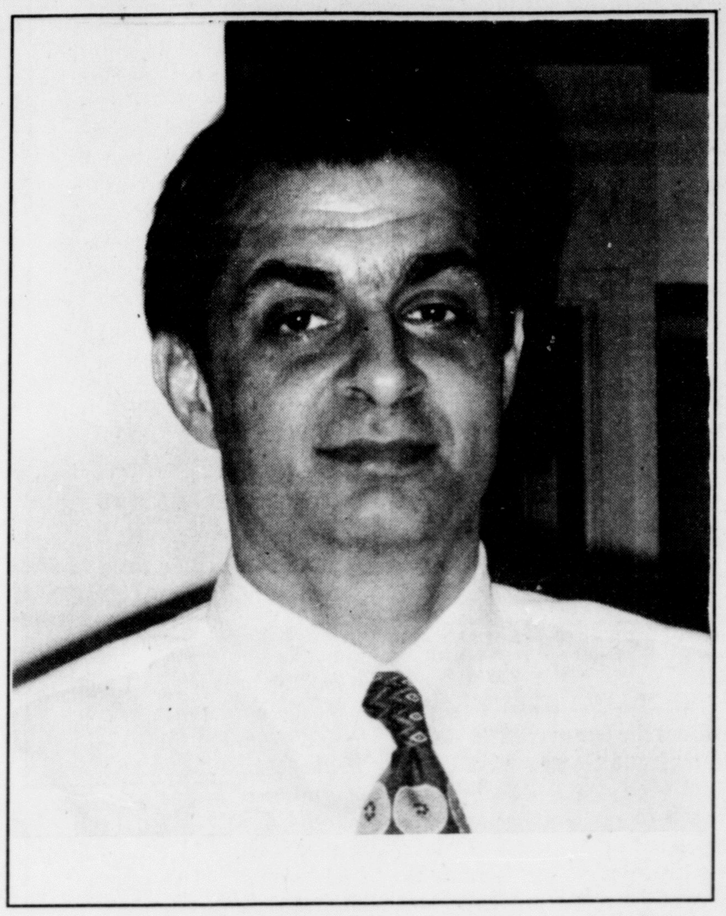
By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

Dr. Chandan Cheema was born and raised in northern India's famous Punjab region, but unlike most young boys and girls his age, he knew exactly what he wanted to be when he grew up.

"I come from a family of physicians," explained Dr. Cheema. "My grandfather was a surgeon, my grandmother was a gynecologist, and I also have a brother in England and a sister in Malaysia who are doctors. Medicine and the medical profession were all around me from my earliest days, and I always liked the environment. For as long as I can remember, I have had great respect and admiration for those who spend their lives trying to improve the health of others. My father was a chemical engineer who studied extensively in Chicago and he also encouraged me pursue a career in medicine."

At the age of 24, after completing his university studies and receiving his medical degree in his native India, Dr. Cheema traveled to the United States for more schooling and training in his chosen profession.

"I took all the examinations over again," said Dr. Cheema, "and I also spent a year and a half studying osteoporosis and bone metabolism at Stanford University. Then I did a one year internship at the Veterans Hospital in Martinez, California, a two-year residency at the Valley Medical Center in Santa Clara, California, and thanks to an additional research fellowship I received, I also spent a full year studying geriatrics before I moved to Sacramento and opened up my own medical practice."



DR. CHANDAN CHEEMA

'My goal has always been to treat the total patient,' explained Dr. Cheema, 'both as an individual and as a member of the family unit.'

Dr. Cheema's specialty is Internal Medicine and for the past six years he has been a member of the Creekside Medical Group, which has offices on Greenback Lane in Citrus Heights.

"My wife, Minnu, has friends and relatives who live in West Sacramento," explained Dr. Cheema, "and when an opportunity to open up an office in this area presented itself, I decided to seriously consider it. I spent quite a bit of time researching the area and meeting the residents, and the more I got to know about West Sacramento, the more I liked it. Not only are the people nice and friendly, but I believe the whole area is going to grow rapidly in the future and I would very much like to be part of that."

Earlier this year, Dr. Cheema took over the medical practice of longtime West Sacramento physicians Gaing Chan and Gordan Ma, both of whom retired on March 10th.

"Dr. Chan and Dr. Ma have practiced medicine in the West Sacramento community for 78 combined years," said Dr. Cheema, "and that is something they can be very proud of. They have also both been most helpful to me in making the transition a smooth one and I especially appreciate them helping me get to know many of their patients better. One nice thing is that Dr. Chan, Dr. Ma and I all belong to the same HMO (Sutter Independent Physician Medical Group) so no change will be required in anyone's insurance plans. And now that I will be their primary care doctor, I want all of Dr. Chan's and Dr. Ma's patients to feel free to drop by the office any time they are in the area to say hello and introduce themselves."

Dr. Cheema's office at 1029 Jefferson Boulevard is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sandra Ashley, his nurse practitioner, is available every morning by appointment (371-7734). Dr. Cheema is also part of a six member team of doctors which can be easily reached by phone on weekends and in the evenings.

"My goal has always been to treat the total patient," explained Dr. Cheema, "both as an individual and as a member of the family unit and I am anxiously looking forward to meeting all of the medical needs of my many new patients."

Dr. Cheema and his wife have three children; two daughters, aged 13 and 3, and a son, who is 10.

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Public Notices

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name

The following persons have abandoned the use of the Fictitious Business Name: Bud Dee Distributing at 26378 Robin St., Esparto, CA 95627.

The fictitious business name referred to above on Feb. 22, 2000.

Ellas G. Morris and Eddiena M. Morris, same address as above.

This business was conducted by Husband & Wife.

/s/Ellas G. Morris
/s/Eddiena M. Morris

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: by: /s/ , Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 22, 2000
File No. 2000-143

The following person is doing business as Bud-Dee Distributing, 26378 Robin St., Esparto, CA 95627:

Ellas G. Morris and Eddiena M. Morris, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1995.

/s/Ellas G. Morris
/s/Eddiena M. Morris

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 23, 2000
File No. 2000-149

The following person is doing business as PM Truck Repair, 3740 Commerce Dr., West Sac., CA 95691:

Paul Davis, 4850 South River Rd., West Sac., CA 95691.

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/s/Paul Davis

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 2, 2000
File No. 2000-78

The following person is doing business as River City Fire Equipment, 1992 Enterprise Blvd., West Sacto., CA 95691:

Justin C. Bastedo, PO Box 980662, W. Sacto., CA 95799; 1992 Enterprise Blvd., W. Sacto., CA 95691.

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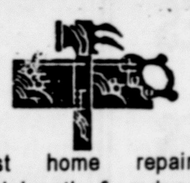

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jk-6tfn

BEST PARK BLVD HOME! Two beds, one full bath, newer roof, new carpet, updated kitchen, big living room w/fireplace, one car garage! Gardener's paradise! $124,800. Call our broker, John Kane, at 373-5300.
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HOME FOR SALE BY OWNER: 2 bed, 1 bath, spa, new roof, kitchen, CH&A, auto sprinklers, carpet, paint, etc. Beautiful, near high school, 1136 Longcroft St., $122,000. 372-8998.
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LOVELY West Sacramento home! 850 Fairway Drive, $98,260, 3 bed, 1 bath, 1 car garage. Updated & remodeled, big kitchen, spacious bedrooms, and fenced-in front yard. For more info on this lovely home, please call our broker, JOHN KANE, at 373-5300.
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1.44 acres on Allan Ave., and:
2 acres on Davis Rd.
Call 372-2195, Lou.
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LAND FOR SALE: Country living! 2 each 5 acre parcels located on Gregory Rd., asking $140,000 parcel. RIVER ACCESS: 1 acre on Sacramento River, possible boat dock! Asking $38,500. For more information on these or other homes for sale in West Sacramento please call JEFF PULIZ, agent, 373-9600.
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ROOM FOR RENT

Room for rent in 3 bedroom,m one bath house on Anna St. Share kitchen. In-room cable & phone. $250/mo., call Tom, 375-2661.
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HELP WANTED

Administrative Secretary - City of West Sacramento. $2550-3112/mo + exclnt bnfts. For specific req'mts, see job flyer. To obtain, send SASE, indicating position, to HR, PO Bx 966, W. Sacto., CA 95691 or download at www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us. FFD: 5pm, 4/21/00. NO POSTMARKS.
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MEDICAL ASSISTANT: Needed part-time. Front and back office. Fax resume to Wendy, 726-8596.
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Engineering Assistant I/II - City of West Sacramento. I: $3112-$3800/mo; II: 3388-$4136/mo + exclnt bnfts. For specific req'mts, see job flyer. To obtain, send SASE, indicating position, to HR, PO Bx 966, W. Sacto., CA 95691 or download at www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us. FFD: 5pm, 5/5/00. NO POSTMARKS.
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/s/Justin C. Bastedo
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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Feb 2, 2000
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 10, 2000
File No. 2000-186
The following person is doing business as A and A Smoke Opacity Testing, 3103 Alder Way, W. Sacto., CA 95691:
Russell Lee Williams, same address.
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/s/Russell Williams
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Date: Mar 10, 2000
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of CHRISTOPHER SALAZAR, Minor.
NO. JR-98-00458
AMENDED CITATION
TO: Curtis Reynolds, Ray Reese, and All Persons Claiming to be the Father of the Minor:
YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Superior Court, 725 Court Street, Department 7, Woodland, California, 95695, on May 17, 2000, at 1:30 p.m. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to Victoria Salazar on May 3, 1993. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.
Dated: 3/6/00
/s/THOMAS E. WARRINER
JUDGE OF THE JUVENILE COURT
Mar 22 29 Ap 5 12

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of JOHN SALAZAR, Minor.
NO. JR-98-00459
CITATION
TO: John Flores and All Persons Claiming to be the Father of the Minor:
YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Superior Court, 725 Court Street, Department 7, Woodland, California, 95695, on May 17, 2000, at 1:30 p.m. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to Victoria Salazar on December 22, 1994. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.
Dated: 3/2/00
/s/THOMAS E. WARRINER
JUDGE OF THE JUVENILE COURT
Mar 22 29 Ap 5 12

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on April 19, 2000 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held at city hall, 1350 Halyard Dr., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 373-5800. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City Hall is handicapped accessible.
1. Pursuant to Resolution 00-22, a resolution of intention of the City Council regarding the levy of annual assessments for Landscaping and Lighting District No. 1.
2. Pursuant to Resolution 00-23 initiating annual proceedings under the Storm Drain Maintenance District Act of 1937 including the annual confirmation of the diagram and assessment of Storm Drain Maintenance District No. 1.
April 5

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 25, 1999
File No. 99-662
The following person is doing business as Lao Radio Broadcasting, 5030 S. River Rd., W. Sacramento, CA 95691:
Oune Chanhthakoummane, 500 6th Street #55, West Sacramento, CA 95695.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/27/99.
/s/Oune Chanhthakoummane
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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 25, 1999
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed March 27, 2000
File No. 2000-231
The following person is doing business as Beyond Pluto, 2681 Davis CA 95616:
Catherine V. Alexander, same as above.
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/s/Catherine V. Alexander
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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 27, 2000
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
April 5 12 19 26

PUBLIC NOTICE
RFP-INDEPENDENT CONSULTING SERVICES
The West Sacramento Housing Development Corporation (WSHDC) is requesting proposals from qualified certified public consulting firms for consulting services servicing the "Welfare to Work" program funded by the State Employment Development Department. Deadline for submittal of proposals is May 4, 2000. For more information or to receive a copy of the Request for Proposal, contact Donna Wolfe, 2455 West Capitol Ave., Suite 106, West Sacramento, CA 95691 or call (916) 372-4250.
April 5 12 19 26

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
The City Council of the City of West Sacramento will open a public hearing on April 12, 2000 at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as possible. Resident input on the use of grant funds for the Fiscal Year 2000-2001 is requested. The meeting will be held at Southport Elementary School, 2747 Linden Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691.
Maximum award limits include a total of $800,000 per year of $1.2 million in any two Consecutive years from the combined General and Economic Development Components combined. Up to $500,000 per application per year may be awarded from the General and Economic Development Components. Grants up to $35,000 per year from the General Planning and Technical Assistance (PTA) allocation and $35,000 per year for Economic Development Planning and Technical Assistance. The two PT&A grants, totaling $70,000, do not count against the $800,000 or $500,000 limits. The Native American allocation is available for eligible activities in areas with concentrations of Native American Indians not federally recognized as an Indian tribe or rancheria. The amount of Native American funds available varies from year to year, and a grant from this allocation does not count toward the $800,000.
The four major activity categories are Housing-New Construction, Housing Rehabilitation, Community Facilities/Public Services, and Public Works. Projects funded with CDBG allocations must carry out at least one of three National Objectives as follows: benefit to Targeted Income Group (TIG) persons, elimination of slums and blight, and meeting urgent community needs.
The city is considering an application for funds to establish a deferred loan program to assist very low and low income owner occupant households in the Arlington Oaks neighborhood with funds to abandon and replace existing septic systems and hook up to a city sewer system.
The purpose of the public hearing will be to give all members of the community the opportunity to comment on grant uses and purposes, especially low-income residents who benefit from the CDBG program. Neither the City nor the State of California discriminates on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability.
In compliance with ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at (916) 373-5800. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the city to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting.
Southport Elementary School is handicapped accessible. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments to the City of West Sacramento no later than the day of the hearing, April 12, 2000 at the City of West Sacramento, Redevelopment Agency, 1350 Halyard Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691. Or you may telephone (916) 373-5843 and ask for Mary Shearer. Information may be obtained at the above address between the hours of 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM on weekdays.
April 5

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 9, 2000
File No. 2000-182
The following person is doing business as Telepacific Communications, 515 S. Flower Street, 49th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90071:
U.S. Telepacific Corp. (a California corporation), same address as above.
This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/9/00.
/s/Kirstin Gooldy, Secretary
U.S. Telepacific Corp.
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 9, 2000
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 6, 2000
File No. 2000-123
The following person is doing business as Court Side Café, 1341 Gum Ave., Woodland, CA 95695:
Jose Antonio Sierra, 755 Cleveland St., Woodland, CA 95695.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/6/00.
/s/Jose Sierra
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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 6, 2000
by: /s/Vickie L. Watkins, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 8, 2000
File No. 2000-176
The following person is doing business as Happy Pets Home Care, 207 Cross St., Woodland CA 95695:
Virdiana Gatter, same address.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3-8-2000.
/s/Virdiana Gatter
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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Mar 8, 2000
by: /s/Josie Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of BABY BOY DOE, Minor.
NO. JV-99-00425
CITATION
TO: All Persons Claiming to be the Mother and Father
YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Superior Court, located at 725 Court Street, Department 7, Woodland, California 95695, on May 24, 2000, at 1:30 p.m. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to on December 8, 1999, and abandoned at 817 Garnet Street in West Sacramento, California on the same date. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.
Dated: 3/10/00
/s/THOMAS E. WARRINER
Judge of the Juvenile Court
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WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered 11 feet 4 inches, U. S. gauge at the S. P. bridge yesterday. This gauge shows a raise in the river since last week of about one foot although since that date no rain has fallen in the Sacramento Valley. The reading indicates that the snow on the mountains and foothills is already melting and holding up the stage of the river which it will do for some time to come.

Mrs. F. De Riso, Sr., has been confined to her home for several days of the past week with a severe case of flu. Yesterday she was reported to be much improved and expected to be soon entirely recovered.

Barbara, the little daughter of Frank De Riso, Jr., has been sick for several days with influenza. Yesterday she was showing signs of improvement which were welcomed by her parents.

Harry Steuben has been down with influenza for several days at his home in Riverbank and in addition has been suffering with a broken finger. Some time ago his finger was accidentally broken while at work but it did not set properly and it became necessary to break it again. He is now progressing rapidly to entire recovery.

Several of the boys around Washington have been testing out their ability to land a few salmon, but so far with only very little success. Hook and line fishing for bass above the mouth of the American River has been good during the past week and several sportsmen have landed half a dozen fish in a few hours.

James H. Floyd, one of the late arrivals in Westgate, and who is conducting the only restaurant at that place at the present time, is expecting a carload of building material today or tomorrow. When this arrives he will start the construction of a store, dwelling and restaurant close to the service station which Frank Janak has been operating during the past year. Floyd has moved his family to the West Sacramento district and is making expenses at least for the time being.

Joe Burke is the latest addition in the way of a helper at the West Side Auto Camp. Joe was discharged honorably from the navy a few weeks ago and hearing that he could get a job in this section of the state he came here promptly and landed just as promptly. He has charge of the lunch room, and soft drink place and sometimes the oil station for NcNally & Partridge.

J. C. Scroggs Nursery Co. has moved to 28th and K Sts., opposite Sutter Fort. We have reduced all trees one-third. Main 1785.—adv.

The West Sacramento Auto Camp is crowding, according to word received yesterday from Joe Pereira. Traffic on the highway through Washington has greatly increased and every night finds a camp at the West Sacramento Auto Camp hard to get. The other camp grounds west of Washington on the state highway are also crowded by newcomers, especially from the southern part of the state.

Blair Manchester spent the weekend here from Oakland visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Manchester. He has been transferred from the San Francisco office to the West Oakland office of the Southern Pacific Railroad.

Miss Josephine Virgilio has returned home after having graduated last week from the nurses' training school of the San Francisco City and County Hospital.

Mrs. James L. Clifton has returned from a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ella May Muhm in Oakland.

William Everett and family have moved into the house formerly occupied by Al Shoemaker.

Mrs. Ray Peek returned Wednesday from Ogden, Utah, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Bartle. Her husband accompanied her to Reno, Nev., where he remained for business reasons. He is expected home today.

ANOTHER INDUSTRIAL SITE PURCHASED IN WESTGATE

E. Schaffnit, a dealer in wood, coal, feed, fuel and other commodities in Sacramento, is the latest purchaser of an industrial site in Westgate.

Yesterday he purchased two acres on the county road between the M street bridge and West Sacramento headquarters for a greatly advanced price, advanced over that which he could have secured the land for a few months ago.

The ground is located just north of the Dr. Boyd place along the county highway. It is just south of the pear orchard formerly known as the Reed orchard.

Mr. Schaffnit told the Independent yesterday on closing the deal that he would first use this place for warehouses. He will have a siding built to connect with the Oakland-Antioch or short line railroad, and it is possible that he may build a few homes on that portion of the land fronting on the county road.

Dealing in hay, grain, feed and other farm commodities, this warehouse will be very convenient because Schaffnit does most of his buying of those commodities in West Sacramento.

GENERAL PETROLEUM COMPANY IS MAKING RAPID ADVANCE

Under the direction of W. A. Dudley rapid strides are being made in placing the plant of the corporation in readiness for the transaction of business in West Sacramento.

Mr. Dudley also has the co-operation and help of his brother, who is his assistant at this time, with Ira C. Ross as engineer in charge.

Last Wednesday two large steel tanks with a capacity of 560 barrels each arrived on the ground. They were immediately unloaded and placed in position to receive gasoline that will be shipped in a day or two from Oakland.

These tanks were placed on concrete foundations of two feet in thickness and are anchored to the bases so that there is no possibility of them toppling over. They are 35 feet in height and 10 feet in diameter. They are connected at the top with a runway of steel.

Yesterday a cyclone steel fence was being placed around the property by the corporation. This wire fence is 7 feet in height, of very heavy construction, and is attached to steel posts that are imbedded in concrete bases.

An unloading platform has been built on the line of the Oakland-Antioch side track right at the plant. From this unloading platform a runway has been built into the large warehouse that was formerly used as the factory for the United States Fiber Products Co.

Two more large tanks like the above are on the way which will be used as storage for distillate and later on there will be two others that will be used for the storage of crude oil.

Pumps have already been installed to pump the gasoline and oil from the cars into the tanks or into the warehouse. The pumps are of peculiar construction and will be operated with electric power. These pumps, also houses, are so thoroughly ventilated that any amount of friction will not cause a spark that might set fire to the gasoline.

In the construction of the plant every precaution has been taken to avoid anything that might cause danger from fire.

Mr. Dudley has been very particular in this regard on account of the fact that fire protection in his neighborhood is nil and that, therefore, prevention must be of the best.

Mr. Dudley is still of the impression that he will be able to start distribution from the plant about the second week in April.

JUDGE DAVIS B. BARRY HELD COURT FOR FIRST TIME

Last Monday, March 23d, Judge Davis B. Barry held court in Washington for the first time. He was installed in office by his father, who retired on March 17th.

With a good deal of composure the new judge ascended the bench and assumed control of the court. He took the honors modestly but, nevertheless, showed a determination which is seldom seen in young men of his age.

Attorneys, plaintiffs and defendants recognized that they were dealing with no novice and that they must live up to the rules of the court without infringement.

The case before the court last Monday was that of the Globe Grain and Milling Company vs. Contente, on suit for collection of a bill for seed sold to Contente.

Judge Barry rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the amount of $71.20.

On Tuesday a case of battery was before the court on complaint of Alex Alauer of Riverbank against Joe Silva, an employe of the Lake Washington Dairy. From the testimony brought out in court before Judge Barry it appeared that Silva and Alauer got into an argument about the time they should get to work. The argument developed into cross words and Silva assaulted Alauer, knocking him off a milking stool.

Judge Barry found the assailant guilty and fined him $5, which was paid immediately.

MRS. MANCHESTER ELECTED SCHOOL TRUSTEE

A small vote was cast this afternoon in the election for school trustee of the Washington school district.

Mrs. M. L. Manchester was the only candidate to qualify in the election. She had no opposition and returns to the board to fill out a term of three years, making a total of fifteen years in all.

The officers of election were: Norman White, inspector; Mrs. Ina Dassonville and D. Barry, judges.

Washington Boosters' Club Will Have "Clean-Up and Paint-Up" Campaign During Month of May

Last year the "Clean-Up and Paint-Up" campaign in Washington was an extraordinary success, so extraordinary that it took two teams three days to haul away the garbage, the refuse, the surplus home material that had been placed at the curbs by the householders of the town.

On June 2d of last year the clean-up campaign had its big day.

At its meeting last Tuesday night the club decided that the clean-up and paint-up day would be held earlier this year, some day about the middle of May, the date not yet being specified.

A copy of the ordinance introduced by Sheriff Monroe into the board of supervisors, having for its purpose the prevention of entrance of American men and boys into Chinese gambling houses, was read. The club decided to recommend its passage by the board of supervisors.

The ordinance would make it a misdemeanor for any men or boys to be found in those places and assesses a fine of $50 and not more than $500. The secretary of the club was instructed to advise the board of supervisors of this action.

Joe Pereira appealed to the club in behalf of Constable Wilson. He claimed that the salary now being paid the constable was entirely inadequate to recompense him for the services he was performing. His entire time is taken up in an effort at law enforcement and yet he receives only $70 to support him and his family.

It was duly moved and carried that a recommendation be made to the grand jury that the salary of the constable be raised to $150 per month with the understanding that the entire time of that official must be devoted to the work imposed upon him by his office.

Following the passage of this motion, Mr. Pereira was appointed a committee of one to appear before the grand jury on Wednesday, March 25th, asking this favor for the people of Washington.

The secretary of the Boosters' Club was also instructed to communicate with the county clerk to ask for a compiled book of ordinances now in force and effect in Yolo County and if those ordinances have not been compiled to secure copies of each individual ordinance.

The secretary, Mrs. Palm, advised that she would communicate immediately with County Clerk Saunders.

After considerable discussion on the moral, immoral and improvident condition of the people who make their habitat along the river slope of the levee, it was decided that a committee of five ladies be appointed to appear before the grand jury the following day, Wednesday, March 25th, to ask for relief in the way of cleaning up those conditions.

The committee appointed to perform this duty consisted of Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Painter, Mrs. Pereira, Mrs. McNevin and Mrs. Esycheck.

These ladies promised to be present at the meeting of the grand jury in Woodland last Wednesday.

LATER

Last night Mrs. Cameron advised the Independent that the committee appeared before the grand jury and was given a full hearing, a courteous hearing and an attentive hearing. She felt greatly encouraged by the attitude of the grand jury in looking into the affairs above specified.

Joe Pereira also advised the Independent last night that he, too, had received a very courteous hearing from the grand jury. A promise had been made that if it was possible under the county government act to raise the salary of Constable Wilson to $150 a month, it would be done.

RICHFIELD OIL COMPANY TO START BUILDING HERE SOON

Leonard Freer, assistant district manager for the Richfield Oil Company, has established headquarters in the California State Life Building in Sacramento.

Interviewed by the Independent last Wednesday, he advised the writer that it is the intention of the corporation to utilize the ten acres lately purchased in West Sacramento on which to build a plant. Construction of this plant will start in the near future but Mr. Freer was not in a position to advise the exact date nor was he in position to advise what kind of buildings would be erected for the plant.

The ground purchased by the Richfield Oil Company is that fronting on the river and formerly occupied by the United Box and Barrel Co. It is situated just back of the old Kripp home and has rail and water connections.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY YOLO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

At the meeting of the Yolo County board of supervisors held in Woodland March 2d the following claims were allowed:

Road District No. 1

A. L. Childers, roadwork	$8.75
R. Egan, roadwork	29.75
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., crushed rock	856.09
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., crushed rock	182.94
E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., crushed rock	135.20
Chas. Grant, roadwork	8.75
Holt Manufacturing Company, repairs	7.00
O. C. Hanson, roadwork	29.75
Frank Marty, roadwork	29.75
A. D. Treloar, roadwork	21.00
West Valley Lumber Company, lumber	14.83

The sum of $394.10 was set aside for the purchase of extra rights of way for highway purposes in road district No. 2.

A resolution was adopted consumating the purchase of a lot in Road District No. 4, from Mrs. Jane Porteus.

The sum of $500 was set aside for the purchase of right of way at the Winters Wye, for state highway purposes.

Chemists in the University of California are extremely busy.

Analyzing samples of jackass is a daily routine with them.

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If you are able to make the most words out of the letters contained in the words "TOILET NECESSITIES." A total of $3,000 IN CASH prizes will be awarded to competitors in this

BOOTLEGGERS SENTENCED BY WOODLAND JUSTICE

Lee Fiburg, who was arrested here Friday night during a raid in which a quantity of liquor and machinery for its manufacture were seized, is in the Woodland jail, serving a 500-day sentence on the charge of bootlegging. He was given an alternative of serving 500 days or paying a $500 fine by Justice R. W. Harrison.

Bert Fellows, who was also arrested during the same raid, was given the same sentence, but he paid the fine and was released. The men were arrested by Clarence Simpkins and George B. Woodworth, deputies working out of District Attorney George T. Kern's office.

Threats have been made by habitues of the Washington "jungles" against the lives of Simpkins and Woodworth, the two said. These threats warned the men would meet with death if they attempted to visit the "jungles" again.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The public is hereby notified that the campaign for the eradication of squirrels will soon be inaugurated by the county. Parties are warned that in permitting livestock or poultry to pasture or forage on the county highways they do so at their own risk. The State law compels the eradication of pests and rodents and the county cannot be held responsible for any damage suffered from stock or poultry permitted on the highways.

H. M. VAN TASSEL,
Horticultural Commissioner,
Yolo County.

PICTURE CORPORATION MAY LOCATE IN WEST SACRAMENTO

Theo. W. Wharton of Ithica, N. Y., is a guest at the Travelers Hotel in Sacramento and is here purposely to select a location for a film corporation who intends to move from the eastern states to California.

Mr. Wharton has been looking over some properties in Sacramento and West Sacramento. He is particularly impressed with the location in West Sacramento and is more impressed by the scenery along the river south of town.

Mr. Wharton is reticent about his plans for the time being but his inquiries have lead several people to believe that he will locate permanently in West Sacramento.

HOME BEING BUILT BY W. G. MEDLIN SOUTH OF CHURCH

About half a mile south of the church in West Sacramento on three acres fronting Jefferson boulevard, and almost immediately across the street from the home of Doc Miller, W. G. Medlin is building a modern bungalow where he intends to make his home in the future.

Mr. Medlin has also purchased 10 acres farther north on Jefferson boulevard, particularly described as Lot 62 of Boulevard Subdivision.

The new Medlin home consists of five rooms with all modern conveniences except gas. The house is being built under the direct supervision of Mr. Medlin and by day labor.

Being built for a home where he intends to stay the balance of his days, Medlin is putting an extra job in its construction.

On completion he has already announced there will be a house-warming to which many neighbors and friends can expect an invitation.

He expects to move in a week or two.

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WEST SIDE GROCERY

OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Join the club

River City Baseball reports financial hard times despite strong ticket sales, reports the *Bee*, and will approach Sacramento officials today to ask that city's help in defraying stadium construction costs. Among the budget cutbacks at the West Sacramento stadium are its high-end electronic scoreboard.

The baseball team itself carries a "regional" name; it is the Sacramento River Cats. (A group of West Sacramento residents still threatens to sew patches with the word "West" in front of the "Sacramento" on their team jerseys, baseball caps and logos.)

The $40 million in bonds guaranteed by Sacramento County and Yolo County apparently won't be enough to build the new AAA-baseball stadium, says the team's owner. That situation is blamed on construction delays and rising interest rates, and much of this can be traced to a pesky lawsuit filed last year by a still-shadowy group of Sacramento residents. Before the lawsuit could be brushed aside, valuable time had been lost in starting the stadium, and interest rates had begun to climb.

The attorney who filed the lawsuit has still not returned the *News-Ledger's* phone calls. But if you believe that the lawsuit was a cynical attempt by competing baseball promoters in Sacramento to derail the West Sacramento stadium, you are not alone. This remains a popular theory on the west side of the river.

Meanwhile, all the area's jurisdictions except the City of Sacramento have played a large role in supporting the new stadium, and Sacramento stands to gain (possibly the most) from the ballpark. Most of the fans attending the River Cats' games beginning next month will pay their parking fees in Sacramento; many of them will drink or dine in Sacramento while they're at it. A proposal for Sacramento to share some of its revenues from parking or other baseball-related sources makes sense.

Can Sacramento bring itself to support a "regional" project that happens to be located a few yards to its west, and which will bring it both prestige and dollars? Stadium construction is a costly proposition. The public often gets stung during the process. But in this case, additional financial commitment from Sacramento appears warranted.

Letters to the Editor

Parents need to get involved

I am writing this in response to several issues I've heard and read in the local newspapers. First of all, I would like to clarify what I perceive the Community Committee for Better Education (which has not been formally named) to represent and why I chose to be an active part of the group. The goal of this organization is to become like a PTA for the entire District. This gives the parents of our community an opportunity to come together to help improve the environment and education of our schools. It is about every school at every level in our school district, not any one in particular.

In talking to parents since the "Committee" began, I have found that there are many parents who are frustrated because they feel no one will listen to them and they don't know what steps to take to find someone who will. Many feel no one cares about the things that effect their children. Yes, we have had very emotional and personal issues. Yes, we have gone on public record with our feelings; good, bad, and indifferent. When the issue at hand is so important to every child in the WUSD, parents are going to become emotional and yes, I'm going to become defensive when challenged with issues that directly effect my children!

No, our motive has not been to fire Dr. Kelleher. Yes, we have challenged giving him an automatic one year extension to a contract that currently goes through the year 2002. Our feeling has been, why grant an extension to a two year contract without the performance to back it up? With my family's personal experience as well as what I've witnessed others go through in dealing with Dr. Kelleher, not to mention the issues regarding the state of our District, I've been opposed to this extension all along. Some of us involved with the Committee have had many District employees (from all levels in the District) come to us and speak confidentially about their personal experiences, so many of which are such horror stories they can no longer be ignored. We cannot have our District run by fear management and lies anymore. The reason for the anonymous surveys to go to all District employees was to allow the staff a chance to share their experiences without the threat of retaliation. It also allows those board members who have told us they have not heard of any problems to get a better understanding of what is going on behind the scenes. After all, we elected them to represent us!

I am disturbed by what some of Dr. Kelleher's supporters have said about the motives of the Committee. He is by no way responsible for their actions, but they are causing more harm for him than good. By intimidating or blackballing the employees that want to participate in the surveys, they are only adding fuel to an already horrendous fire. If there is nothing to hide, then why try to stop it?

The Community Committee for Better Education is not going away and I encourage more parents to become involved. I truly believe that once this heated issue is over, WUSD can move on to become an awesome place for our children to receive their education. With the Board, parents and staff working together, how can we fail? We won't always agree on every issue, but we should be able to work as adults with a common goal to do what is best for the children in our school district. Isn't that supposed to be what it's all about?

DANI LANGFORD
West Sacramento

Stop the rumors

During the last several years I have heard rumors, innuendo, accusations, etc., about various school board members and administrators from principal to superintendent. Sometimes I get totally conflicting stories, which in complete contradiction to each other either prove one, part of both or both stories are false. Other times I hear these stories of gross incompetence, mismanagement or vindictiveness, yet little seems bolster these arguments. It is true where there is smoke there is usually fire, but not always.

We have a law in this land that gives us "whistleblower protection". This law works to protect whistle blowers everywhere from unions to corporations to government agencies, except of course it doesn't cover employees of the Clinton-Gore administration, but since none of the people involved are working in Washington D.C. that is not relevant now. Whistle blower protection gives a witness to internal malfeasance, crimes, and even just questionable behavior protection from retaliation. If some of the accusations I have heard or have been passed on to me are true, why is there no public information? Why aren't these issues presented to the school board? Why aren't these issues discussed by the local papers? To be fair, the local papers have exposed the numerous Brown Act violations and some well known inappropriate behavior. However, the number of stories I have heard have been far in excess of what the public has heard.

Based on the stories I have heard either first hand, second hand, or even passed on far down the line, I have to think that many of them are either untrue or are such minor issues as to be irrelevant. If somebody has evidence of malfeasance, crimes or other inappropriate behavior, please bring it forward. If it's just to spread malicious rumors and lies stop them.

I see much of this is people arguing whether the glass is half full or half empty. Again, if there is something of substance, bring it forward, make it public, show us the proof and evidence. Otherwise, simply stop the rumors and accusations.

KARL MACHSCHEFES
West Sacramento

Grandma Cops

A story has been written and very well told,
about two ladies who are ever so bold.
They patrol a beat in our fair city.
Some things that they see are not very pretty.
Volunteers in policing, they are called V.I.P.
Their job is to protect, and keep us crime free.
Although both seniors for quite a few years,
the thought of retirement would drive them to tears.
When a crime in progress is just ahead,
their job is to get help before the bad guys have fled.
Grandma cops we might call these two,
they give lots of help to the men in dark blue.
On citizens watch,
the two are top notch.
If sometime you see them drive by,
give them a wave and yell out a loud hi.

GEORGE POTCH
West Sacramento

We need uniform voting laws

"(Gov.) Davis helps defend state's blanket primary" (Bee, A6, 3/31/00) in filing a "friend of the court" legal brief with the U.S. Supreme Court. Trouble is that he and Secretary of State Bill Jones are not defending Prop. 198 as passed by the voters, but the one as modified by virtually all of our legislators and signed by him. When voters approved Prop. 198, voters were then allowed to vote for candidates outside their party of registration. (I thought that in order to change a law passed by voters directly, the change had to use the same method.)

Oh, sure, we could vote for candidates of another political party; however, those votes were not officially counted!

Both major political parties claim that Prop. 198, as passed by voters, "violates their parties' constitutional right to free association by allowing nonparty registrants to participate in the nomination of (their) candidates." This is ironic in at least two ways: Not only did Gov. Davis benefit from non-Democrats' votes he received in the 1998 primary, which he and legislators later changed, but we have several variations of primaries throughout the nation. Seems like New Hampshire's is the same passed by California voters (except for the date), but it seems like Michigan's is most extraordinary: Republicans have their blanket primary earlier, allowing non-Republicans to participate and later that state's Democrats have a closed primary. This allows Michigan Democrats to vote for their presidential choice twice!

Seems like federal elections, even the primaries, should be by one uniform set of voting laws, as is the case with the November general elections. Communication is so much faster with TV, etc., than when this nation's voters first voted. Let us change with the times, including a much later (blanket) primary, allowing voters to vote on the same primary date nationwide as we do in the November general election.

WILLIAM A. LOWELL
West Sacramento

Youth at risk

Kids are people, too. Many young people today have no confidence in themselves as people. They have no basic life skills, no inner resources on

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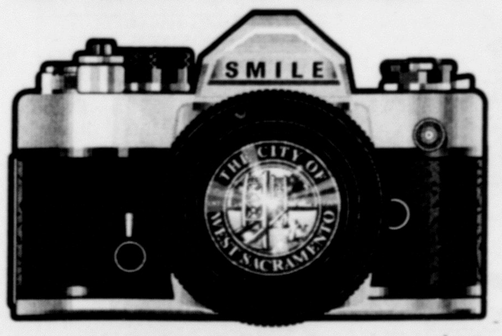

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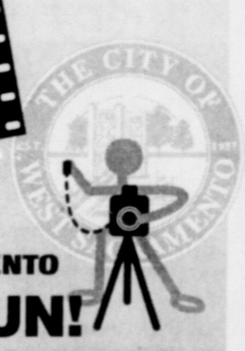

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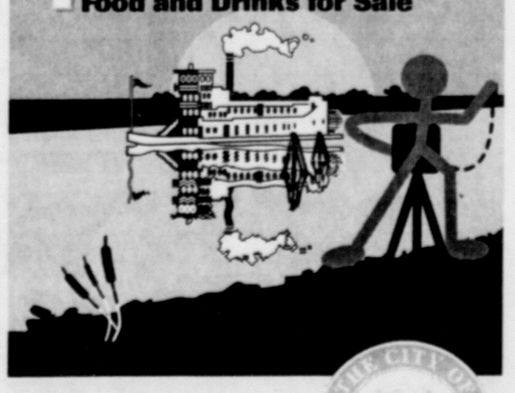

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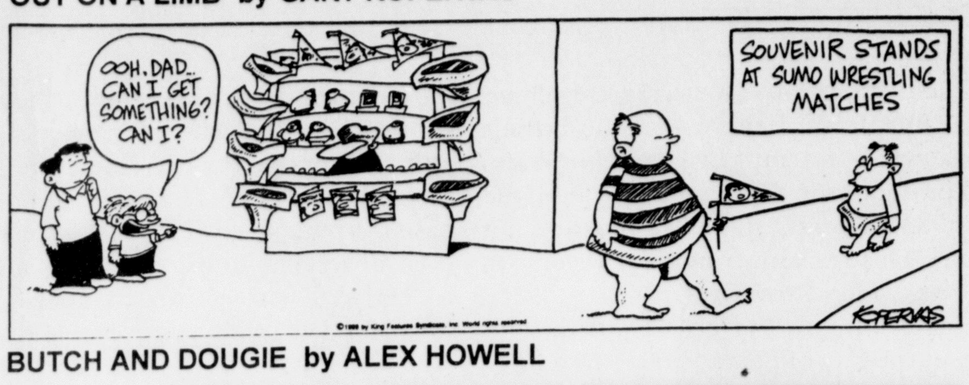
OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS



BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL

IS THAT CARTOON ON VIDEO?
NOPE! IT'S FROM THE TV!
CARTOONS!? ... DURING THE WEEK?!
"SATURDAY MORNING" IS NOW AVAILABLE SEVEN-DAYS-A-WEEK!

BRINGING UP FATHER
by FRANK JOHNSON
WELL, LOOK AT THIS!
HEY, JIGGS!
MAGGIE IS IN THE PAPER!
SHE'S GETTING AN AWARD FOR ALL THE CHARITABLE WORK SHE HAS DONE!
THAT REALLY MAKES ME PROUD OF HER.
HOW COME YOU'RE NEVER IN THE PAPERS?
JIGGS, HOW COME?
FRANK JOHNSON 3-19
I'M TOO BUSY EARNING THE MONEY THAT MAGGIE'S GIVING AWAY!
POPEYE
HY EISMAN
THIS SHOULD ASSIST BRUTUS IN HIS TRAINING PROGRAM!
I'LL CHECK THE INGREDIENTS AGAIN...
LET'S SEE... SECRETS
...SNAKE TAILS...LIZARD GIZZARDS...RAT HAIR...BAT WINGS...FREEZE-DRIED LICE AND FIRE ANTS!
HMM... NEEDS A LITTLE SALT
I'VE MADE THE FORMULA MORE ORGANIC...
...ONCE DIGESTED, YOU'LL NOT ONLY VANQUISH POPEYE... BUT THE WORLD!
I CAN'T EAT THIS...
...IT TASTES AWFUL
TUT-TUT... NOT TO WORRY...
...I LEFT OUT AN INGREDIENT!
WOW! NOW IT'S DELICIOUS
AMAZING WHAT HAMBURGER HELPER CAN DO!
HY EISMAN 3-19

R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND

JEEPERS, HENRY! OL' ABE'S BEEN STANDIN' THERE LIKE THAT FOR DAYS!
YUP. POOR FELLA!
WORST CASE OF PLANTER'S BLOCK I'VE EVER SEEN!
MING THE MERCILESS...
...DEPOSED RULER OF THE PLANET MONGO.

FLASH GORDON
3-19 BY JIM KEEFE
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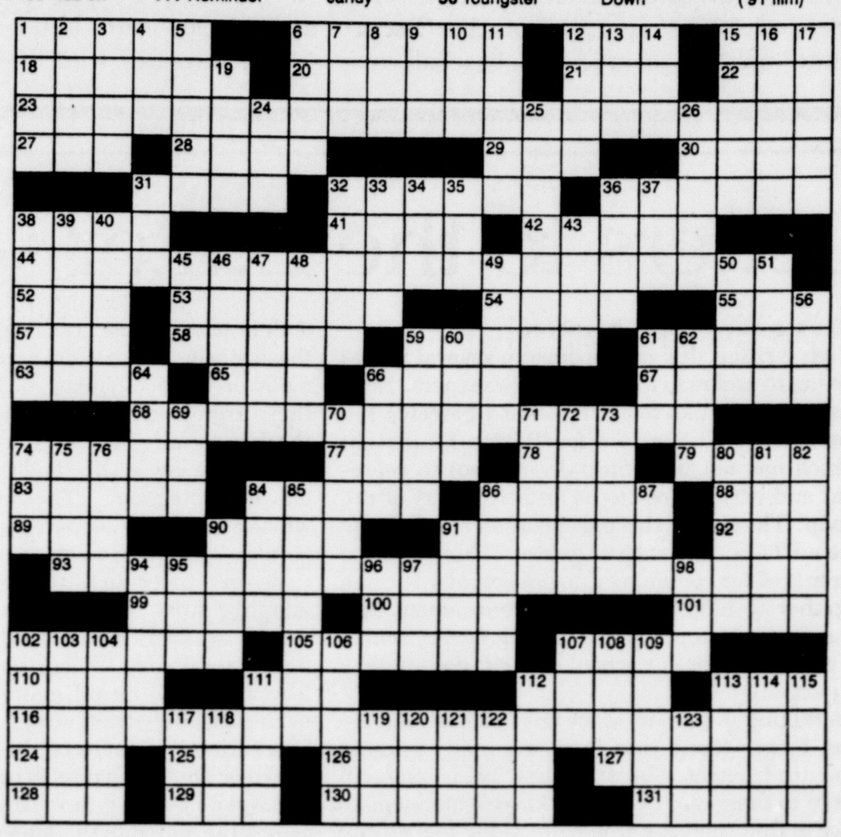
ENRAGED THAT FLASH HAS FREED BLAZE, THE QUEEN ENCASES HIM IN ICE.
WHAT NOW, YOUR HIGHNESS?
WE CONTINUE OUR SEARCH.
TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE...
"...WE MUST FIND BLAZE BEFORE HE REACHES A HEAT SOURCE!"
HERE, HAVE SOME FOOD
IT'LL HELP YOU GET YOUR STRENGTH BACK.
THAT WON'T BE NECESSARY.
YOUR HANDS...
YOU SEE...
...I HAVE EVERYTHING I NEED RIGHT HERE.
TO BE CONTINUED...!

Super Crossword

ACROSS
1 School tool
6 Sahara vision
12 Crestfallen
15 Pigskin prop
18 "Carmen" and "The Consul"
20 Genesis peak
21 In-your-face item?
22 Director Ashby
23 SIDE LINE
27 Extremity
28 Nurse's helper
29 East ender?
30 Sly trick
31 Composer Thomas
32 Rocky's rival
36 Author Antonia
38 Mingo's portrayer
41 Fiddling emperor
42 Turn of phrase
44 SKY LINE
52 Nonclerical
53 New Jersey athletes
54 Scuba site
55 TV's "— Fly Away"
57 Mischief-maker
58 Rhone feeder
59 Has on
61 Singer Khan
63 Naldi or Talbot
65 Sty guy
66 Mardi —
67 Went white
68 HAIR LINE
74 Breakfast fruit
77 Jeroboam contents
78 Color
79 Criticize
83 Speak one's mind
84 Accent feature
86 Singer Vaughan
88 Mrs. McKinley
89 "Lorenzo's —" ('92 film)
90 Dividend
91 41 Across' tutor
92 Be a pest
93 LIFE LINE
99 Took on board
100 "— No Sunshine" ('71 hit)
101 Content completely
102 Aptitude
105 "— and Misdemeanors" ('89 film)
107 Act like a chicken
110 Belligerent deity
111 Reminder
112 Shade of green
113 Year, in Yucatan
116 BLOOD LINE
124 Actor Chaney
125 Past
126 Expects the worst
127 Maris or Mantle
128 She's a sheep date
129 — down (destroy)
130 Petrarch product
131 Kingdom

DOWN
1 Dressing gown
2 "Once — a midnight dreary . . ."
3 Balloon material?
4 Be human
5 Tracking tool
6 Medieval weapon
7 Bother
8 Math abbr.
9 Meyers of "Kate & Allie"
10 Boyle's concern
11 Lucy's landlady
12 Made cotton candy
13 Broadcast
14 Thieves' headquarters?
15 Anatole France novel
16 Combs of baseball
17 Glue guy
19 Pelt
24 Chemical suffix
25 Poultry purchase
26 Wise guy
31 — blond
32 Leg joint
33 Pride of the pumped-up
34 "— pro nobis"
35 Prune
36 Vassal's holding
37 Linear measure
38 "— a day's work"
39 Biscayne Bay city
40 "Aida" setting
43 Club cost
45 QB's stats
46 Bounded
47 Shun
48 Beatles beater
49 Cocky
50 Medicine bottle
51 Actress Sommer
56 Youngster
59 Squeezed out the suds
60 Vacation sensation
61 Numbers man?
62 Kansas city
64 Soon
66 Show one's teeth
69 Vane letters
70 Serengeti sahib
71 Cut of meat
72 Blender setting
73 Show one's feelings
74 Bovine bellow
75 "The Ramayana," e.g.
76 Coloratura Pons
80 Neighbor of Niger
81 Man or stallion
82 Patrick of "A Clockwork Orange"
84 Shake-spearean infinitive
85 Kind of print
86 Factions
87 Owns
90 Leonine Lahr
91 Reasonably balanced
94 See 109 Down
95 China's — Biao
96 Skater Babilonia
97 Amis' "Lucky —"
98 Sound of disapproval
102 Under the — (secretly)
103 Cupid's missile
104 Sierra — Nevada
106 Philharmonic section
107 Bleak critique
108 Whirlpool
109 With 94 Down, fragrant container
111 Cornfield critter
112 Only
113 "Puppy Love" singer
114 Gallagher of Oasis
115 Utah city
117 Actor's lunch?
118 Self-esteem
119 Theater sign
120 Word with take or hang
121 Solo of "Star Wars"
122 Coleridge composition
123 "— Good Cop" ('91 film)



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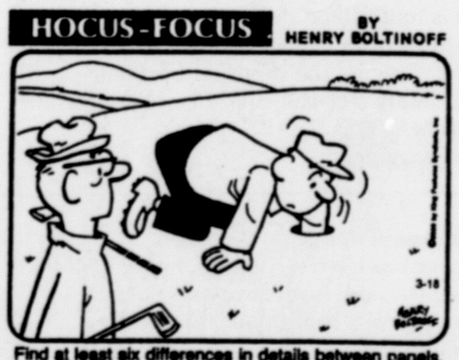

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

MAGIC MAZE — THINGS WE LIGHT

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T E Q O M E J H F C A V Y T W
U R K P H N L J H F O D B O G
Z X V C I G A R E T T E T R R
Q O T M A K N Y S R A G I C I
H A F D B R Z A M E I L Y H W
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

A fire
A room
Bonfire
Campfire
Candles
Cigarette
Cigars
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Pipe
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The way
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IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT: sewer system for Arlington Oaks moves through the process

The **West Sacramento City Council** will meet tonight (Wednesday) at 7 p.m. in open session at 1350 Halyard Dr.

Agenda items include a proclamation honoring Juanita Spiller for service on the Commission on Aging; a proclamation honoring the Masons upon their 150th year in California; a proclamation honoring the Masons for support of public schools; consideration of a contract with Psomas for construction services related to the ballpark; approval of $1,940,000 in city matching funds related to State Route 84 (Jefferson Blvd.) widening;

Consideration of a list declaring listed lots a hazard a hearing on weed abatement objections; consideration of a contract with Claggett-Wolfe for grant implementation services and operation of the Business Loan Fund; an amendment to the agreement with DLR Group Vitiello for a site feasibility analysis for the Civic Center Project;

Consideration of a resolution authorizing preferential permit parking in part of Washington (near Raley Field); an amendment to a contract with HDR Engineering related to the S.R. 275 modification project; an ordinance amendment related to the makeup of the Disaster Council; consideration of a traditional design, lowest responsible bidder, build approach for the Civic Center Project;

The April 12 **city council** meeting will be held at Southport Elementary School's auditorium, 2747 Linden Rd., and will include discussion of the Arlington Oaks sewer project and a public hearing on a Community Development Block Grant application to help fund it.

The **West Sacramento Planning Commission** will meet April 6 at 6 p.m., 1350 Halyard Dr. Discussion will include a user permit extension for the DMV testing facility; conditional use permit for Sprint PCS regarding a proposed 92-foot wireless communication facility at 1155 Linden Rd.; and a public hearing on various amendments to the zoning ordinance (including outdoor storage, paving for RV storage, increasing front sebacks in A-1 zones, a new provision for off-site subdivision kiosk signs, and redefining circumstances for rehabilitation of non-conforming structures).

A special meeting of the **West Sacramento Housing Advisory Commission** will be held at 6 p.m. on April 10 at 1350 Halyard Dr. Discussion will include review and approval of a 2000 CDBG application to help fund sewer installation in the Arlington Oaks neighborhood.

Police log

March 28, 6 p.m.
Two officers arrived at a Merkley Ave. home to contact a wanted man. The woman who answered the door said he was behind the house. They searched, but did not find him. One then looked over the fence and saw the man escaping. The suspect was apprehended.

March 29, 8:20 a.m.
A parole agent located a BB gun in possession of a Maple St. man on parole. The man was booked by police for parole violation.

March 31, 6:59 a.m.
A 27-year old West Sacramento man was involved in a fight with his girlfriend (who was the mother of his two children), and she broker her finger. He was gone when police arrived, but found an hour later. During the arrest process, police found 33.1 grams of marijuana in the man's vehicle.

March 31, 9 p.m.
An officer saw a 45-year old known prostitute talking to a driver on West Capitol, then getting into the vehicle. The officer stopped the car. The woman told the officer that she had waved the driver down and she knew that was a violation of her probation. She was booked.

March 31, 12 a.m.
Two men at a bowling alley began fighting. The manager escorted them out, and while leaving, one of them struck and broke the establishment's front door glass.

March 31, 8:30 p.m.
A 12-year old girl reported walking home from a school event when a man came up behind her and grabbed her. She pulled away and ran to friends. The man ran to the rear of the school. Police did not locate a suspect.

March 31, 5:40 p.m.
A Solano St. man reported that a man walking on the other side of the street yelled something to her, then exposed himself to her and left the scene.

March 31, 2:15 p.m.
Several police cars responded to a California St. address, where a man, a woman and the woman's mother had a dispute during a picnic in the backyard. The mother became upset, went into the house, and fired a .357 magnum handgun out the back door. The man was intoxicated and uncooperative with police. The suspect was contacted by police over the phone, and told them she fired a "warning shot." She refused to exit the house. A report was forwarded to the D.A.'s office for possible further action.

March 31, 11:15 a.m.
A 68-year old West Capitol motel resident angry about room service followed the maid and yelled at her. It "appeared" he had a small knife at the time. Police contacted him and didn't find the knife, but found the man had two arrest warrants. He was taken into custody. The maid did not want to pursue other charges.

April 2, 12:03 a.m.
An officer was dispatched to a Todhunter apartment, and found a female victim complaining of pain near her ribs. The woman had a recent stab wound, but was not forthcoming about who stabbed her. A witness said that a 42-year old suspect female had stabbed the victim with a small knife following an argument. The suspect was arrested and victim treated for her injury.

April 2, 10 a.m.
A 21-year old Del Paso Heights man was arrested for trying to use a fake $100 bill to buy goods at a West Capitol store.

April 2, 8:20 p.m.
A 56-year old West Sacramento admitted having hit his daughter and causing her nose to bleed. He was arrested.

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the girls and mixed doubles matches however. Both the girls pair of Erin Cheechov and Keonakone Lattasima and the mixed duo of Tanna Phouanglasy and Marith Khem were undefeated thus far on the season, but Escalon's teams prevailed 10-8 in the girls match and 10-7 in the mixed.

Although the loss was the first blemish on the team's 2000 season, the Raiders did remain unbeaten in the G.E.L. with a 9-0 shutout over Mesa Verde. A Marysville surprise win over Colfax last week helped R.C. as well. Both the Indians and the Falcons are now 5 and 2 in league while the Raiders are 6 and 0. The Raiders hosts Lindhurst tomorrow and Lincoln next Tuesday in G.E.L. contests. Both matches begin at 3:30 pm. In addition, some of the teams top players will travel north this weekend for the annual Quincy Invitation Tournament. River City has won the team championship at the tourney the past four years.

Top Ten Reasons to Visit Community Lutheran Church

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In America, there are two classes of travel–first class and with children.

—Robert Benchley

PUBLIC NOTICES from p. 5

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 6, 2000
File No. 2000-171

The following person is doing business as C & R Crafts Collectibles, 158 Coral Dr., Woodland CA 95695:

Carrie Zurney, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Mar 6, 2000.

/s/Carrie Zurney

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by: /s/Vickie L. Watkins, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 21, 2000
File No. 2000-212

The following person is doing business as MIP Refund Services, 2930 Renee Court, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Michele Talbott, 2930 Renee Ct., W. Sacramento, CA 95691; Anne King, 2309 Manchester St., W. Sacramento, CA 95691.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2-15-00.

/s/Michele J. Talbott
/s/Anne K. King

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 22, 2000
File No. 2000-218

The following person is doing business as Budget Legal Aid, 134 Elliot Street, Woodland, CA 95695:

Michele Bourquin, same address.

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/s/Michele Bourquin

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 17, 2000
File No. 2000-138

The following person is doing business as Brandon The Handyman, 41909 County Road 14, Woodland CA 95776:

Brandon OW Burgdorf, same address.

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/s/Brandon OW Burgdorf

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar 15, 2000
File No. 2000-202

The following person is doing business The Phoenix Group, 1956 Hackett Drive, Woodland, CA 95776:

TKP Consulting, Inc., same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3-15-00.

/s/Darren D. Jimenez, CEO
TKP Consulting, Inc.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Mar. 10, 2000
File No. 2000-188

The following person is doing business as Payday Payroll Service, 428 Chaparral Way, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Alana Burgstrom, same as above.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3-10-2000.

/s/Alana Burgstrom

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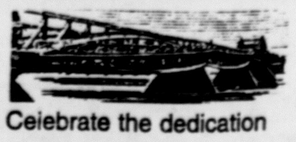

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Local Scene

Cribbage

The new "Delta Peggers" Cribbage Club meets at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays at the VFW Hall, 905 Drever St. For information, call 371-4709.

WUSD employees

Retired & former WUSD employees are invited to the 15th annual reunion, Sun., April 9, at the West Sacramento VFW Hall, 905 Drever St., at 2 p.m. For information, call Vivian Cecchettini, 371-8516, or Barbara Leach, 371-8973.

Egg hunt

The West Sacramento Elks Lodge in cooperation with the City of West Sacramento will hold an Easter egg hunt at the River Walk (Behind the Money Store) on Sat., April 22, from noon to 3 p.m. Free hot dogs and prizes. Public welcome.

Dinner/dance

The West Sacramento Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8762 will host a dinner dance "in salute to our veterans" on Fri., April 14, from 7 to 10 p.m., with no-host cocktails at 5 and open buffet from 6-8 p.m. Donation is $6. There will also be an Easter breakfast buffet Sun., April 23, from 9 a.m. to noon, $5 per person. 905 Drever St. Call 371-7245.

Holy Cross Fest

The second annual Holy Cross Spring Festival will be held April 9 from noon to 6 p.m., with game booths, food booths, face painting, and a wide array of live entertainment. Proceeds benefit purchase of books, software and sports equipment for the school. Location is 800 Todhunter Ave.

Ag booster dinner

The Delta High School FFA Bossters present their annual steak dinner dance on Sat., April 8, from 5-11 p.m., featuring the JAY ROLLERZ band. Tickets are $25 ($45/couple) from the high school or by calling 371-7819.

Baseball

West Sacramento American Legion Baseball will hold a dinner/dance on April 8 at the ILWU Hall, with cocktails at 6 p.m. and dinner at 7:30 p.m. Events include a carnita dinner and DJ dancing, with a swing contest and raffle. For ticket information, call Johnny Lopes, 371-5911, or Steve Ericson, 372-0577.

Railroad program

The East Yolo Friends of the Library are sponsoring a railroad program on Wed., April 12, from 7-9 p.m. at the Turner library, 1212 Merkley Ave. A docent from the California state railroad museum will detail the building of the transcontinental railroad. The event is free and refreshments will be served. Call 372-5139 for information.

5K run

The Volunteer Connection is sponsoring the Yolo County participation in the statewide Human Race. A 5K fun run and walk will be held in Woodland May 6, supporting more than 35 schools and charities. Sponsorships are invited. Contact Bob Lehman, (530) 661-6636.

Suicide prevention

Suicide Prevention of Yolo County (SPYC) is recruiting volunteers for its two 24-hour crisis lines, providing telephone crisis intervention to adults, teens and families. A 40-hour training program is provided, running Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6-9 p.m. over seven weeks beginning April 27. Call (530) 756-7542.

Democrats

The West Sacramento Democratic Club will meet at the Turner Library in West Sacramento on Mon., April 10. Howard Berman, political activist and club member, will speak on "Making a Difference in the Fall Elections." Rick Wathen of Professional Engineers, will speak on the "Public Works Initiative," allowing contracting out of jobs to non-union companies. Call 371-4007 for more information on the meeting.

Keepsake appraisal

The public is invited to bring treasures and keepsakes to the Crocker Art Museum, 216 O St., Sacramento, from 9:30-3 on Sat., May 6, for informal market evaluations. Categories include decorative arts, paintings, jewelry, books, prints, Americana, Asian arts, toys, quilts and antique weapons; larger items such as furniture can be assessed from clear photos with dimensions. Evaluations by members of the Art Service Group are first-come, first-serve, and wait time may be lengthy. $7 per item or $30 per set of items, with a limit of five items or sets per person, and proceeds benefit the museum.

River taxi

River Otter Tzxi will being its fifth year of service May 6, following a fundraiser May 5 for its operations. The fundraiser will last from 5:30 to 8 p.m. on the River Walk promenade near the Money Store building, and will include free rides, food and beverages from local restaurants and wineries, entertainment and a silent auction. Contribution is $25, or $45/couple. Call 552-6808 to register.

County surplus

Yolo County is sponsoring a surplus sale of county equipment and furniture. The sale will be held Sat., April 8, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the old jail at the end of D St. in Woodland. Cash and carry. All items are "as is," and sales are final. Items include computer equipment, typewriters, desks, chairs, paging equipment, file cabinets, theater seating and carpeting.

Kids' vaccinations

There will be a free shot clinic for Yolo Co. children at the health department, 500B Jefferson Blvd. in West Sacramento from 11-6 on Friday, April 14. Children need to be protected against ten life threatening diseases, say program sponsors. Call 375-6380

Volunteers wanted

A hot lunch is served to 130 senior citizens in West Sacramento every day, and 68 of these are frail, homebound seniors who receive the meals delivered to their doorstep. The Elderly Nutrition Program is in need of volunteers to help deliver the meals and to serve meals at the Senior Center. The agency is looking for companies to "adopt a delivery route" or for individuals to volunteer time. Call Ann Tyson, 373-5819.

ADD

Southport Elementary School will sponsor a parent support group for parents of children with Attention Deficit Disorder. The group will meet Wed., April 5, from 7-8 p.m. at the school library. Discussion will cover ADD issues and solutions. Call Principal Smith, 375-7890, for information.

Lucky bus rider

Some lucky Yolobus rider will receive a number of prizes by the first week of April for being the 100,000th airport route rider. All Route 42 riders either boarding or deboarding at the Sacramento International Airport are eligible for the prizes. For contest information, call Karen Hulbert, (530) 661-0816. For bus route information, call (530) 666-2877 or visit www.yolobus.com.

Water tests

As part of Yolo County's Public Health Week celebration, residents may bring a water sample in a clean jar to the Woodland Mall between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. today (April 5) to have it tested for lead or nitrates. The testing (announced Monday) is free.

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which to draw and they act out in frustration which gets them into trouble, real trouble.

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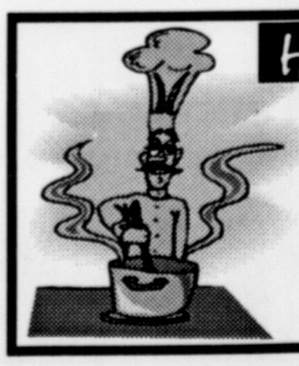
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Answers:
1. Anaheim, which was the victim of Minnesota's Eric Milton on Sept. 9, 1999; 2. The Los Angeles Dodgers lost two consecutive World Series in 1977-78; 3. False. In 1942, due to wartime restrictions, it was held in Durham, N.C.; 4. Havlicek had 26,395 points; Bird tallied 21,791; 5. The San Diego Sockers won the title eight times ('83, '85, '86, '88-'92); 6. Four times ('68, '77, '83, '84); 7. Gene Sarazen, who invented it in 1930.

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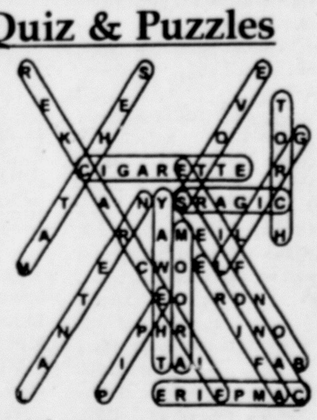

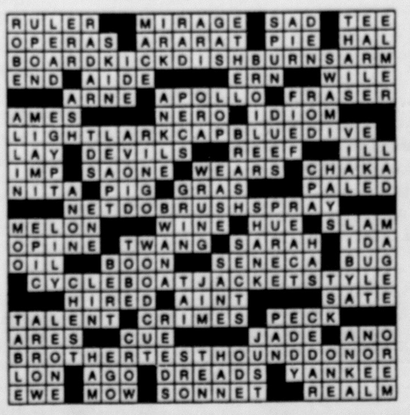

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1	6	8	2	17
4	4	1	9	18
9	9	6	3	27
6	8	1	8	23
20	27	16	22	19

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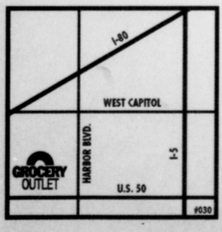

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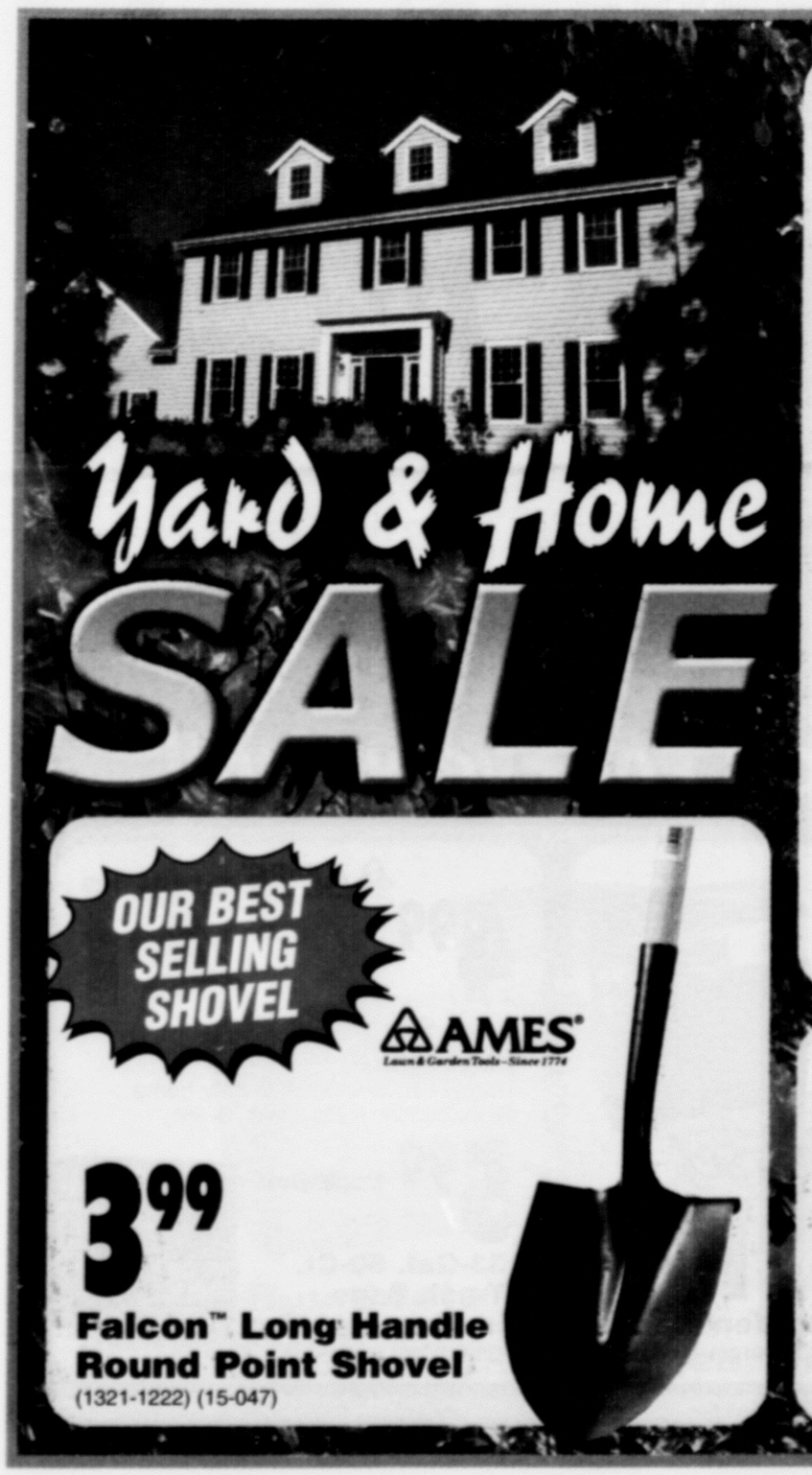

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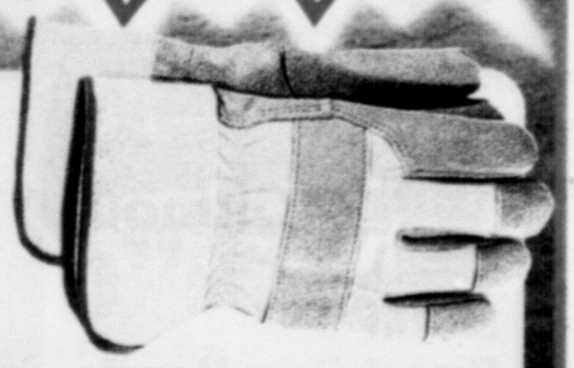

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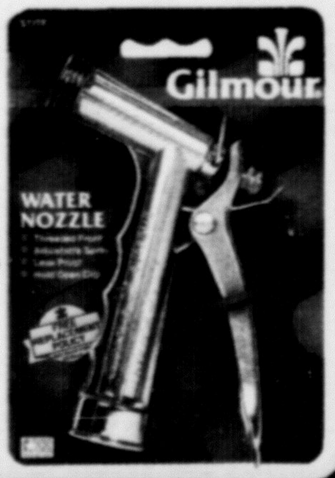

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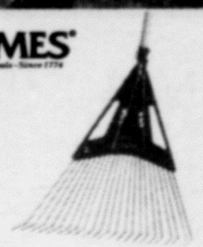

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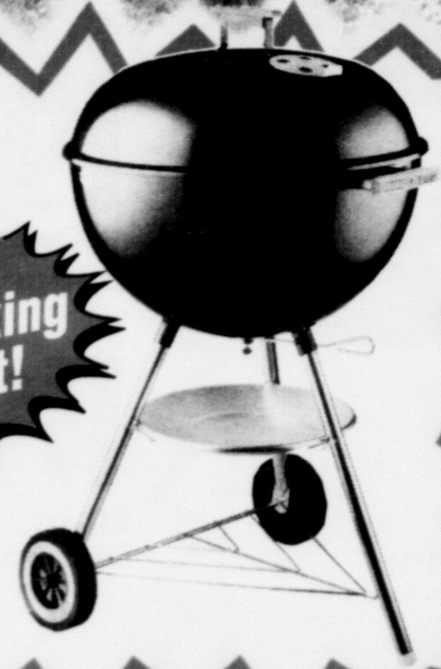

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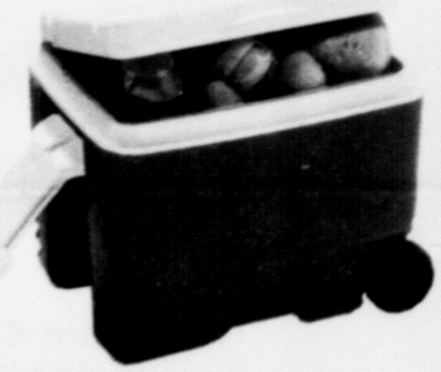

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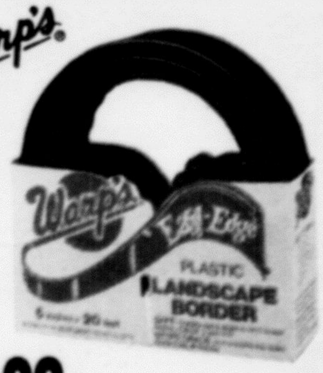

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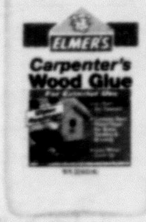

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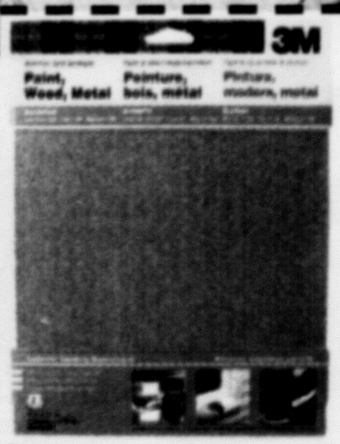

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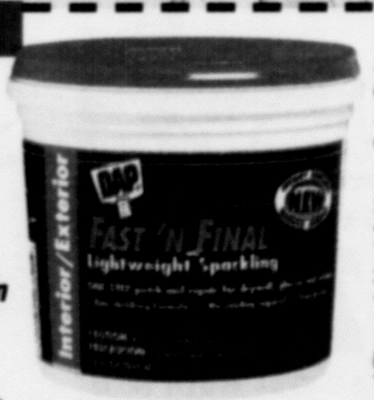

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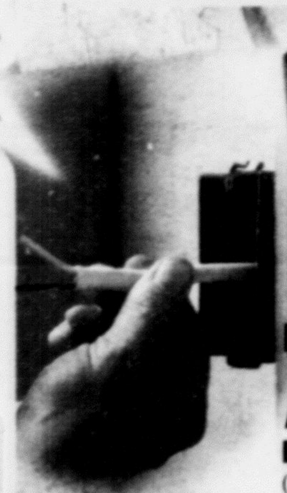

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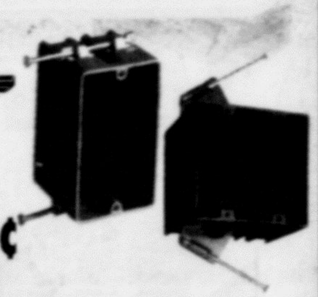

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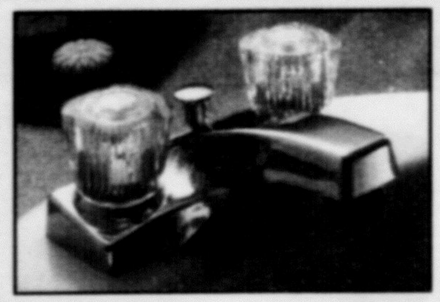

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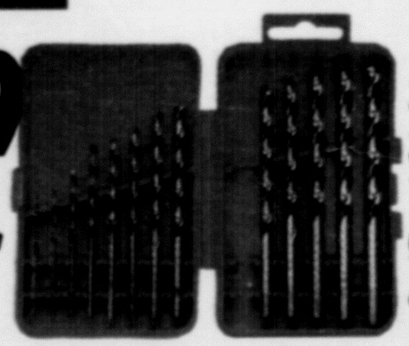

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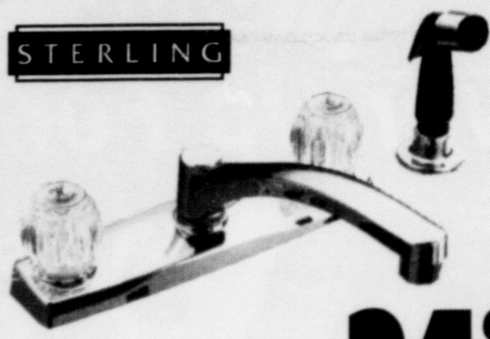

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